

William B. Umstead Governors' Papers, Special Police, 1953-1954 MARS ID 366.5

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Summary Information

Repository	State Archives of North Carolina
Creator	Umstead, William Bradley, 1895-1954.
Title	William B. Umstead Governors' Papers, Special Police, 1953-1954
Date	1953-1954
Extent	0.4 cubic feet (1 fibrebox)
Language	English
Abstract	Chiefly routine correspondence recording personnel actions for special police officers licensed and bonded by the state and employed by various private corporations.

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Biographical/Historical note

William B. Umstead was born in Bahama North Carolina on May 13, 1895. A 1916 graduate of University of North Carolina, Umstead fought in World War I then studied law at Trinity College upon his return home. Umstead began his career practicing law in Durham county, and later served in the United States House of Representatives and Senate. In 1952 he was elected governor, where he served until his death in 1954.

Scope and Contents note

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Collection Arrangement

Chronological.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Access to Collection

Collection is open for research; records stored offsite, requires additional retrieval time; advanced notice required for Saturday access.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Licenses
- Police, Private
- Watchmen

Collection Inventory

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Special Police, 1953-1954 1953-1954	81